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Application No.: 10/658,260

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Examiner: J. Nguyen

For: DEVICE AND METHOD FOR MEASURING
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In response to the outstanding Office Action, mailed September 7, 2004, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

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